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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 2004P00859WOUS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor:	Gero Schollmeier et al.)		
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Title:	SHORTEST-PATH ROU'	TING O	PTIMIZED FOR NET	WORK UTILIZATION

Commissioner For Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.